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METALLIC PIGMENTS HAVING A CROSS-LINKABLE COATING OF BINDING AGENT, COATING COMPOSITION, PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF SAID

COATED METALLIC PIGMENTS AND USE OF SAID COATED METALLIC

PIGMENTS (As Amended)

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is a copy of an examination report issued by a patent searching authority other than the USPTO and the cited art together with a Form PTO-1449 listing the same for the convenience of the Examiner. Please note that U.S. Patent No. 4,434,009, U.S. Patent No. 4,213,886, WO 99/57204 and DE 10209359, listed on the examination report, were previously cited on a form PTO-1449 and submitted concurrently with the subject patent application to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 23, 2006. Therefore, these references are not cited and submitted herewith.

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